

ABSTRACT

5 According to one aspect, a slide-out mechanism for controllably moving a slide-out section that is associated with a vehicle, such as a recreational vehicle, is provided. The slide-out mechanism generally includes a pair of first guide members that are operatively coupled to the slide-out section, with each of the first guide members having a plurality of first drive features formed as a part thereof. The slide-out mechanism also includes a drive mechanism having a pair 10 of first drive members that complement and engage the first drive features for controllably moving the slide-out section between a retracted position and an extended position as the first drive members successively engage the first drive features under action of the drive mechanism, thereby driving the first guide members and the slide-out section coupled thereto.